SECRET
Security Information

INDOCHINA

No announcement from Paris regarding any new policy in Indochina - but

Gen. Navarre adopting new tactics:

evidence airborne raid Langson and

coastal raid near Hue.

Langson raid caught Viet Minh off balance and about 5,000 tons of enemy material destroyed. Good psychological impact.

Amphibious Hue raid with object to trap

Viet Minh regiment but most Viet Minh troops escaped encirclement.

SECRET

Security Information

(2)

900 tons monthly during first half 1953
compared with 500 tons last year.

June deliveries reportedly reached
2600 tons.

French promises to Cambodia possibly

too late depending on King's ability

controlling anti-French feeling.

Still uncertainty and suspicion regarding

French intentions in Indochina generally.

